

Broadband power line communication technology presents a grave hazard to HF communications. It is intrinsically a cause of harmful interference and intrinsically is susceptible to harmful interference. In addition, many electric utilities do not possess the staffing levels or specialized technical expertise required to effectively troubleshoot even routine RFI problems; deployment of this technology would raise the question of the utilities ability to effectively support and troubleshoot it and mitigate harmful interference from the technology.

PLC technology should not be deployed in the United States.